STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

Statement of Legal Newspaper Ownership and Circulation

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1. TITLE OF NEWSPAPER Lakota Country Times		2. DATE [illegible]
3. FREQUENCY OF ISSUE Weekly	3A. NO. OF ISSUES PUBLISHED ANNUALLY 52	3B. ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE $ 45
4. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF KNOWN OFFICE OF PUBLICATION (Street, City, County, State and ZIP+4 Code) (Not printers) 316 Main St Box 386, Martin SD 57551 - Bennett		
5. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF THE HEADQUARTERS OR GENERAL BUSINESS OFFICES OF THE PUBLISHER (Not printers) 316 Main St. Box 386, Martin SD 57551		
6. FULL NAME OF PUBLISHER: Connie Louise Smith		

7. OWNER (If owned by a corporation, its name and address must be stated and list on the back of this form the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a partnership or other unincorporated firm, its name and address, as well as that of each individual must be given.

FULL NAME	COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS
Thunderbird Media Inc.	316 Main St. Box 386 Martin SD 57551

8. KNOWN BONDHOLDERS, MORTGAGES, AND OTHER SECURITY HOLDERS OWNING OR HOLDING 1 PERCENT OR MORE OF TOTAL AMOUNT OF BONDS, MORTGAGES OR OTHER SECURITIES (If there are none, so state. If more space is needed, list on back of this form.

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9. EXTENT AND NATURE OF CIRCULATION	AVERAGE NO. COPIES EACH ISSUED PRECEDING 12 MONTHS	ACTUAL NO. COPIES ISSUED NEAREST TO FILING DATE
A. TOTAL NO. COPIES (Net Press Run)	4290	3993
B. PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION 1. Sales through dealers and carriers, street vendors, counter sales, and paid electronic copies.	2572	2413
2. Mail Subscription (Paid and or requested)	1514	1061
C. TOTAL PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION (Sum of 9B1 and 9B2)	4086	3474
D. FREE DISTRIBUTION 1. BY MAIL, CARRIER OR OTHER MEANS	40	250
2. SAMPLES, COMPLIMENTARY AND OTHER FREE COPIES	50	100
E. TOTAL DISTRIBUTION (Sum of C, D1 and D2)	4176	3524
F. COPIES NOT DISTRIBUTED 1. Office use, left over, unaccounted, spoiled after printing	41	100
2. Return from News Agents	73	69
G. TOTAL (Sum of E, F1 and F2 – Should equal net press run shown in A)	4290	3993

Statement must be signed by Publisher, Business Manager, or Owner in the presence of a Notary Public

I swear that the statements made by me are true, correct, and complete:

Connie Smith
(Signature)

Owner - Publisher
(Title)

State of South Dakota)
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County of Bennett)

(Seal) MARY KAY BELL Notary Public SEAL South Dakota

Sworn to before me this 14 day of October, 2014

Mary Kay Bell
Notary Public

My commission expires: 1-15-18

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